

Office of General Counsel Federal Election Commission 999 E Street NW Washington, DC 20463

MUR # 5607

Dear Sir:

Enclosed please find a copy of FEC Form 11, 24-Hour Notice of Opposition Personal Funds Amount, from the Friends of Frank Wolf (C00166017).

I have attached this cover letter because my opponent, James Socas (C00399345) failed to file FEC Form 10 when he crossed the threshold amount of \$350,000 in personal spending. Instead, Mr. Socas only filed FEC Form 6, the standard 48-Hour notice, dated October 25, 2004. Mr. Socas' 48-Hour notice was just posted on the FEC's web site today. Mr. Socas' FEC report filed on October 21 showed that he has provided his campaign with \$349,000 in personal funds. According to the 48-Hour report posted today, Mr. Socas provided his campaign with another \$150,000 in personal funds on October 25, bringing the total amount of personal funds he has contributed to his campaign to \$499,000. It is clear violation of the law for Mr. Socas to have not filed Form 10 when he crossed the \$350,000 threshold.

Mr. Socas also failed to notify my campaign within the required 24 hours of crossing the \$350,000 threshold, another violation of the law.

It is worth noting that my millionaire opponent Mr. Socas on FEC Form 2, Statement of Candidacy, filed April 13, 2004, stated that he did not intend to spend any personal money in the primary or general election.

In addition to my filing the necessary paperwork from my campaign (FEC Form 11), please consider this letter a formal complaint against Mr. Socas and I ask that the proper steps be taken in dealing with these violations of the law.

Sincerely

Enclosures

CC: Jill Sugarman

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